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**NEW UTILITY  
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37 CFR 1.53(b))

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First Named Inventor	David Banks
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**APPLICATION ELEMENTS**

- Fee Transmittal Form (in duplicate)  
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- Specification  
(*preferred arrangement set forth below*)
  - Descriptive Title of the Invention
  - Cross Reference(s) to Related Case(s)
  - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
  - Background of the Invention
  - Brief Summary of the Invention
  - Brief Description of the Drawing(s)
  - Detailed Description
  - Claim or Claims
  - Abstract of the Disclosure
- Drawing(s) (*when necessary per 35 USC 113*)
- Oath or Declaration
  - New Declaration  
 Executed
  - Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))  
(*for continuation/divisional with Box 17 completed*)
    - DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)  
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s)  
named in the prior application, see 37 CFR  
1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
- Incorporation by Reference (*useable if Box 4b is checked*). The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 4b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

**ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS**

- Assignment & Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet
- Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)  
(*if foreign priority is claimed*)
- Information Disclosure Statement & PTO-1449
  - Copies of IDS Citation(s)
- Preliminary Amendment
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